DEATHS

Thomas R. Watson

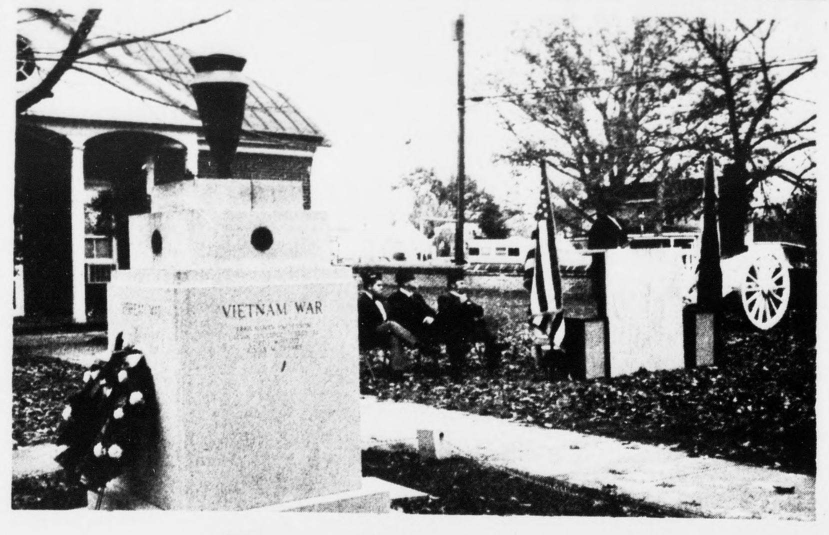
Pamplin - Thomas Rice Watson, 88, of Pamplin, died Monday in a Farmville nursing home.

Born in Buckingham County, he was the son of William Joseph and Nannie Lucado Watson. He was a retired farmer. His wife was the late Mrs. Betty Lucy Seay Watson.

He is survived by one son, Irvy Watson of Dillwyn; four daughters, Mrs. Mattie Metcalf of Pamplin, Mrs. Florence Franklin of Appomattox, Mrs. Julia Spiggle of Hampton and Mrs. Bessie Rush of Richmond; one brother, Jim Watson of Newport News; three sisters, Mrs. Ethel Seay of Prospect, Mrs. Mildred Dunnevant of Richmond and Mrs. Thelma Crews of North Carolina; 12 grandchildren; 46 great-grandchildren and two great, great-grandchildren.

A funeral service was held at 2:30 p.m. Wednesday, November 14 at Pleasant Grove Baptist Church in Buckingham County. Burial was in the church cemetery.

Shorter Funeral Home in Farmville was in charge of arrangements.



Observed Veterans Day

On Sunday afternoon, November 11th, Veterans Day was observed in Appomattox with a community-wide program held on the Courthouse Lawn sponsored by the American Legion Post 104, Unit 104 Legion Auxiliary and the Appomattox Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy.

In the picture above, Dr. John L. Suttenfield, retired pastor of Fairview Christian Church in Lynchburg and a past Virginia Department Chaplain of the American Legion, standing, was the guest speaker for the program of the afternoon. Shown seated, left to right, are Ronnie Spiggle, Chairman of the Veterans Day Committee; Rev. Henry E. Riley, Jr., pastor of Memorial United Methodist Church, who was in charge of devotions; and Steve Bowling, Commander of American Legion Post 104.

The Appomattox County High School Band under the direction of Frank Coffey provided music for the program.

Chestnut Grove

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Repass, Mrs. T. N. Saul, Mrs. Ray Repass spent the week in the home of Billy Saul in Piney Point, Maryland.

Mr. and Mrs. Kemper Beasley, Jr. and Kathy visited Mr. and Mrs. John Lowe in Richmond, Sunday.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Cook were the Rev. Mrs. Dott Bryan and Kyle of Dillwyn.

Mary Hanaman of Dillwyn was a week end guest of Faye Harris.

Thursday supper guests of Mrs. Ruth Beasley were Mrs. Mary Salisbury of Christiansburg and Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Williams of Dillwyn.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Senger visited Mrs. Beulah Morris and Bruce of Appomattox Sunday.

Those attending the study course at Concord Baptist Church Sunday night were Mrs. W. T. Cook; Mrs. Dott Bryan; Mrs. Bob Bryan; Mrs. Bill Senger; Mrs. Joe Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Harris spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Flood Harris of Green Bay.

Saturday supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Morris were Mr. and Mrs. Billy Morris and baby of Richmond.

Mrs. A. N. Morris and Mrs. John Waycaster were shoppers in Williamsburg Saturday.

The regular W. M. S. Meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Pete F. Harris Friday, November 16, at 8 p. m.

Weekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Morris were Mr. and Mrs. John Waycaster of Dillwyn, Kenneth Morris of Lynchburg.

Monday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Cook were Mr. and Mrs. William L. Carter of Burkeville; Edward T. Cook of Prospect, Mike and Janice Carter visited in the afternoon.

Donna Haver of Dillwyn spent the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Morris.

The Homemakers Club Council met Monday in the home of Mrs. Don Morris with eleven members present. The Demonstration on Hors d'ourves was given by Mrs. Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bryan were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Wade Bryan on Dillwyn.

RECIPE

By Sarah Anne Sheridan

Devil's Food Cake

- ½ c butter
- 1½ c sugar
- 2 sq. chocolate
- 3 eggs
- 2 c cake flour
- 1 t baking soda
- pinch salt
- 1 c sweet milk
- 1 t vanilla

Cream butter and sugar. Add melted chocolate, then beaten egg yolks. Sift together 4 times, flour, soda and salt. Add to first mixture alternately with milk, beginning and ending with addition of flour. Fold in beaten egg whites last and vanilla. Bake at 350 degrees for approximately 35 minutes.

Seven Minute Icing

- 2 egg whites
- 1¼ c sugar
- 5 T water
- 1/8 t cream of tartar
- 1 T white Karo syrup
- 1 t vanilla

Combine ingredients (except vanilla) in top of double boiler and mix until blended. Place over boiling water, and beat with electric beater until mixture is fluffy and will hold its shape, about 7 minutes. Remove and add flavoring.

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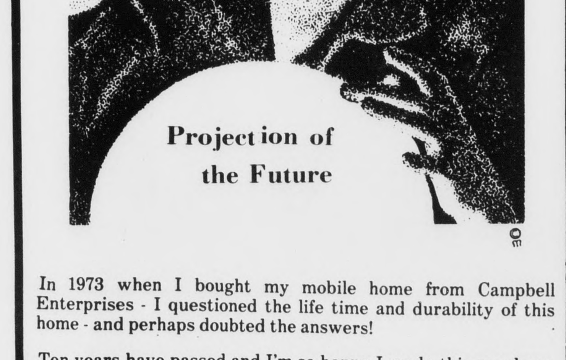

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CHURCH NEWS

Mission Study Class To Be Held At Liberty

On Tuesday, November 27th, at 7 p.m., Mrs. Helene Harvey will teach the book "Passport to People" in a Mission Study Class.

The class will be held in the Fellowship Hall at Liberty Baptist Church. All ladies in the Association are cordially invited to attend.

Alone With God

When he had sent the multitudes away, he went up into a mountain apart to pray; and when the evening was come, he was there alone. Matt. 14:23

Jesus had been under a terrific strain. He made His way to a desert place. A multitude followed Him. They became hungry for food there were only five loaves and two fishes. The miracle feast took place, then Jesus sent the multitude - away - At last Jesus was alone, and He sought what was most important to Him - communion with the heavenly Father. He went up into a mountain to pray - and He was there alone. Yet He was not alone. No one is really alone when he is in communion with God.

His example of being with God is an invitation to each of us to follow the same plan. Are you discouraged? This is the time find your mountain, to be alone with God. As you commune with Him He will send "His Holy Spirit" to strengthen you.

Father, fill me with thy power
As I kneel with Thee this hour;
Just enough to meet this day
As I walk in Thy sweet way.
God, alone - I'll never be.-
When I walk life's way with
Thee;
And Thy path is always
Straight
Leading me to heaven's gate
Though the wrong seem e'er so
strong;
Not alone when Thou art near
By Thy side I'll never fear.
Always let Thy glory shine
Through this worthless life of
mine
By Thy Spirit we are one.
Not alone. I am Thy Daughter,
or Thy Son

What a beautiful way to begin the day. Alone with God! Even in the family circle we can be alone with Him. Let's try it now! Thy daughter, or Thy son

Sent in by Mrs. Annie R. Fore, PR Secretary for Appo. S.D.C. Church on Court Street - All are "Welcome".

Church To Sponsor Thanksgiving Supper

Thanksgiving supper at Concord Elementary School Cafeteria, Saturday, November 17, 1973 from 5 until 8 p.m. by Earlys Chapel Methodist Church.

The menu will be turkey and country ham. Home grown sweet potatoes, snaps, and butter beans, cranberry sauce, gravy and dressing, jello salad, home made rolls and pies, relish tray, tea or coffee. Adults $2.50 for one meat, $3.00 for two meats. Children under 12 $2.00.

Early's Chapel will also have a Country Store. Items include home made breads, cakes, pies, food items, jelly and jams. A quilt made by the women of the church.

Church to Observe Open Communion Thanksgiving Day

The Youth Prayer Group of Rocks Baptist Church have planned a day of Open Communion on Thanksgiving Day from 10:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m.

You may come as a family or however you choose.

Spout Spring E. H. Club

On Tuesday, November 27th, we will meet at 7 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Catherine Carson. We hope to have our agent present at the meeting. This month's subject will be "Table Setting and Meal Service". Come and bring a friend, also an item for our "Homemaker's Basket".

UDC TO MEET NOV. 15 AT COUNTY LIBRARY

Appomattox Chapter United Daughters of the Confederacy will meet November 15 at the County Library at 7:30. Hostesses will be J. W. Childress, Mrs. H. H. Caldwell, Mrs. Schyler Marshall, Mrs. Lina C. Eversole, and Mrs. Charlie Lewis.

Keeping In Trim?

"My brother's job as a trimmer in a candle factory keeps him busy every Saturday and Sunday."

"Doesn't he work during the week?"

"Oh no, just on wickends."

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Mrs. Peck--Take a good look, Mister--I'm the party!"

Dad Knows

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Father:"Executive ability, my son, is the art of getting credit for all the hard work somebody else does."

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Mrs. Beatrice J. Pierce

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Celebrates 92nd Birthday

Mrs. Beatrice J. Pierce, who resides with her daughter, Mrs. Harriet Pierce James, at 705 Court Street, celebrated her 92nd birthday on Sunday, October 28th, with her children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren present. Seated in center, above is the honoree, Mrs. Pierce. At her left is little Monica Williams, great-granddaughter, of Little Rock, Arkansas. From left to right are John Pierce James, grandson and Mrs. Harriet P. James, daughter, of 705 Court Street; Mr. and Mrs. William M. Pierce, son and daughter-in-law, of Little Rock, Arkansas; Gilbert L. James, Jr., grandson, of Chatham, Virginia; Charles O. Jeffries, III, great-grandson, of Ft. Meade, Maryland and his father, Lieutenant-Colonel Charles O. Jeffries, Jr., grandson, of Ft. Meade, Maryland; and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph L. Pierce, of Philadelphia, Penn.

Mrs. Pierce, beloved by her family and many friends, is a former resident of Hampton Institute and has had the opportunity to share her knowledge and understanding and to put into practice the principles used in her professional career as a former kindergarten teacher.

TIPS ON QUITTING CIGARETTES

Pick a Q (Quit) Day.

Switch to a low tar-nicotine brand, and begin to cut down BEFORE Q Day.

3. Keep a supply of substitutes handy: mints, gum, celery, carrot sticks.

4. Quit on Q Day; use substitutes when the urge to smoke is strong; keep busy; pamper yourself with special meals; drink plenty of water; exercise.

5. Renew your resolve daily. Think over the health hazards of cigarettes.

6. Plan a treat for yourself with the money you used to spend on cigarettes.

BEST TIP YET: DON'T START!

Am I Covered

Q - I have recently learned that my homeowners policy does not provide coverage against floods, but that flood insurance is available under a separate policy. Can you tell me something about this and what is the cost?

A - The National Flood Insurance Program is a joint venture between insurance companies and the Federal Government. The governing body of a given locality must apply to the Federal Insurance Administration under the Department of Housing and Urban Development to have flood insurance sold in its area. The locality must also adopt certain building codes and a development plan with enforcement provisions to lessen future losses. At present, 47 Virginia localities are under either the Emergency Program or the Regular Program. When an area initially obtains eligibility for the flood program it is placed under the Emergency Program both residential and non-residential property may get coverage. But the coverage is limited to $17,500 for a single family dwelling, $30,000 for a multi-family dwelling and non-residential structures, & $5,000 for contents per occupant family or tenant. Rates are based on the actual cash value of the structure and per $100 of coverage. If the value of the single family structure is $17,500 or less the rate is 25c on the building and 35c on the contents per hundred; $17,500 to $35,000 is 30c and 40c; over $35,000 is 35c and 45c. For commercial structures the rates are from 40c to 60c and 75c on the contents, depending upon the value of the building. There is a $200 deductible on each loss for the structure and for the contents. When a locality goes under the Regular Program coverage doubles, but the rates vary according to the risk.

A flood is defined as "A general and temporary condition of partial or complete inundation of normally dry areas." Three types of losses are covered:

(1) The overflow of inland or tidal waters.

(2) The unusual and rapid accumulation or runoff of surface waters from any source.

(3) Mudslides which are caused or precidpitated by accumulations of water on or under the ground.

PAMPLIN

The thing that is important is not how many days we live but how they are spent.

The United Methodist Church will be held November 29, at Piney Ridge United Methodist Church at 7:30 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Chal Raine of Fairfax spent last week end with Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Massey and visited other relatives.

Week end guest of Mrs. W. R. Brightwell were her daughter, Billie Starr Brightwell and her roommate, Miss Terry Campbell, students at Longwood College.

Recent guests of Mrs. Lizzie Robinson were, her grandaughter, Mrs. Beulah Mae Harris, Hampton, Va., Mrs. Barbara Propokis, Glen Allen, Va., Mrs. Anna Burmeister and granddaughter, Miss Debbie Bollino, Baltimore, Md.

Mrs. Hugh C. Cunningham is improving in Lynchburg General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Dudley spent last week end in Blacksburg. Little Will Dudley is a patient at Montgomery County Hospital.

We welcome newcomers to our town, Mr. and Mrs. Hardin and 2 daughters of Richmond and Mr. and Mrs. Mason and family of Cumberland.

Mr. Newton Ligon is improving after being transferred to Southside Community Hospital, Farmville.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Southern of Norfolk visited relatives last Monday en-route home after spending the weekend at Natural Bridge.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Coleman have returned home after a visit with their son, H. W. Coleman III and his family in McKeesport, Pa.

FOR OUR CHILDREN'S SAKE Drive Carefully

photo by Shearer Robertson

The Rocks Quartet of Rocks Baptist Church in Pamplin, Virginia will be among those participating in the Harvest Day Song Festival at Red Oak Baptist Church on Sunday, November 18th, from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

Harvest Day Song Festival At Red Oak

Red Oak Baptist Church will sponsor a Harvest Day Song Festival and invites you to attend this event on Sunday afternoon, Nov. 18th, from 2:00 p.m. until 4:00 p.m. at the church. The Rev. G. E. Hughes is pastor of the church.

Those appearing on the program for the afternoon will include John Hall of Appomattox, The Marsh Memorial Church Group, Rock Pike Church Group from Bedford, Mrs. Betty Rhodenizer from Appomattox, The Reynolds Brothers, Liberty Baptist Church Youth Singers, the Rocks Quartet from Pamplin, and the Gospel Heralds from Lynchburg.

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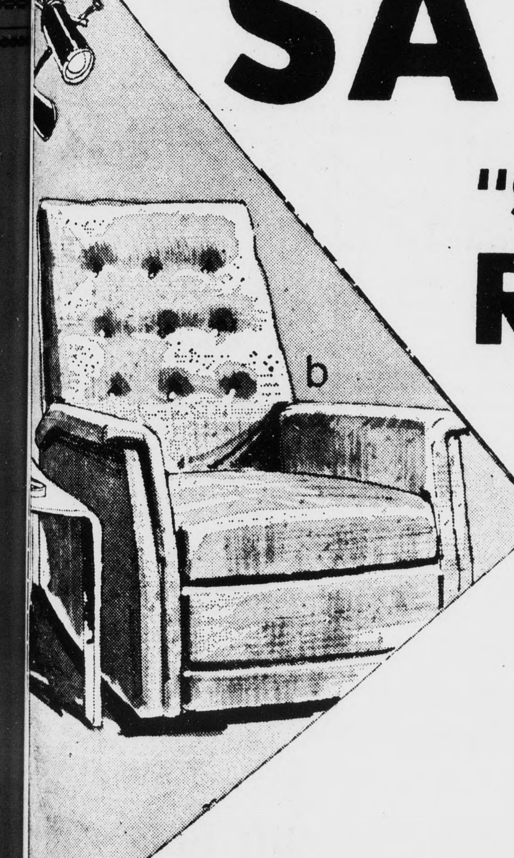

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